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(cont.) and a single layer of the pocket sheet 20. Accordingly, strip 35 separates pocket 40 from a second pocket 42, pocket 42 having a pocket opening 43. Both openings 41 and 43 face and are parallel to the binding section of base sheet 10 at edge 12.

On pages 5 and 6, please replace the paragraph extending from page 5, line 29, through page 6, line 2, with the paragraph:

By Figure 3 illustrates an alternate embodiment of a pocket insert 1, where the base sheet 10 and the pocket sheet 20 are formed of a single sheet of paper folded along fold line 16. These two sheets are adhered to one another by adhesive strips 33 and 34 and, optionally adhesive strip 35. Accordingly, fold line 16 defines edges 11 and 21 of the base sheet and pocket sheet, respectively. As seen in Figure 3, third edge 23 of the pocket sheet and the third edge 13 of the base sheet are contiguous. That is, the edges of the respective sheets share a boundary or a touching.

On page 6, between line 11 and 12 please insert the following paragraph:

B5 Referring to Figures 2-6, the base sheet 10 and the pocket sheet 20 are connected to form the pocket insert 1 having a thickness that includes only (i) a single layer of the base sheet, (ii) a single layer of the pocket sheet and (iii) any thickness attributable to an intermediate adhesive. That is, the pocket opening 41 is located on a given side of the base sheet 10, wherein the pocket sheet is connected to the base sheet on the same side as the pocket opening as seen in Figures 2-5.

In the Claims

1. (Twice Amended) A book comprising multiple pages and a pocket insert bound along a binding, wherein the pocket insert comprises:

(14)
(a) a base sheet of paper material comprising a binding edge bound to the binding, the base sheet having a planar first surface and a planar second surface; and

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(b) a pocket sheet of paper material, the pocket sheet having a planar inner surface, a planar outer surface, and a perimeter defined by an attached edge section on the inner surface and a free edge section on the inner surface, at least a portion of the attached edge section being adhered to the first surface of the base sheet along a plurality of seams and the free edge section being unattached to the base sheet to form a pocket opening along the free edge section between the first surface and the inner surface of the pocket sheet,

wherein the base sheet and the pocket sheets are arranged such that the pocket opening faces the binding.

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2. The book of claim 1, wherein the pocket opening extends substantially parallel to the binding edge of the base sheet.

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3. The book of claim 1, wherein the pocket sheet has a width smaller than a width of the base sheet but at least half the width of the base sheet.

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4. The book of claim 3, wherein the pocket sheet has a width at least 60 percent of the width of the base sheet.

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5. The book of claim 1, wherein the base sheet and the pocket sheet are formed of separate sheets of paper material that are adhered to one another along the attached edge section of the pocket sheet.

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6. The book of claim 1, wherein the base sheet comprises:

(18)
a first edge, /
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a second edge opposed to the first edge and defining the binding edge, the first and second edges defining a width of the base sheet, and

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third and fourth edges opposed to one another and disposed between the first and second edges, the third and fourth edges defining a length of the base sheet.

103-F 7. The book of claim 6, wherein the pocket sheet comprises:

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a first edge attached to the base sheet,

³⁰⁷ a second edge opposed to the first edge, the first and second edges defining a width of the pocket sheet, at least a portion of the second edge being unattached to the base sheet for forming the pocket opening, and ¹⁸ *(don't see in drawings)*

third and fourth edges opposed to one another and disposed between the first and second edges, the third and fourth edges defining a length of the pocket sheet and being attached to the base sheet; wherein the pocket sheet has a shorter width than the base sheet. ²⁰ ¹⁶ ⁽¹⁷⁾

103-F 8. The book of claim 7, wherein the base sheet and the pocket sheet are adhered to one another along their respective first edges, third edges and fourth edges.

103-F 9. The book of claim 7, wherein the first edges of the base sheet and the pocket sheet are parallel to the second edges of the respective sheets, and the third edges of the base sheet and the pocket sheet are parallel to the fourth edges of the respective sheets.

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103-*duplicate* 10. The book of claim 9, wherein the base sheet and the pocket sheet are further adhered to one another along a strip parallel to the third and fourth edges of the sheets, so as to separate two pockets formed between the sheets.

103-F 11. The book of claim 7, wherein the base sheet and the pocket sheet are formed of a single section of paper material.

103-F 12. The book of claim 11, wherein the single section is folded along a fold line defining the first edges of the base sheet and the pocket sheet.

103-F-¹⁴ 13. The pocket of claim 7, wherein the pocket sheet first edge is attached to the base sheet with an adhesive proximate to the base sheet first edge, the pocket sheet third edge is attached to the base sheet with an adhesive proximate to the base sheet third edge, and the pocket

sheet fourth edge is attached to the base sheet with an adhesive proximate to the base sheet fourth edge.

¹²³⁻¹²⁴ 14. The book of claim 13, wherein the pocket sheet is attached to the base sheet with an adhesive along a strip extending widthwise between the third and fourth edges of the sheets.

¹⁰³⁻¹⁰⁴ 15. The book of claim 14, wherein the widthwise strip separates two pockets formed by the base sheet and the pocket sheet, both pockets opening towards the base sheet first edge.

¹⁰⁶ 16. The book of claim 1, wherein the base sheet is formed of a rectangular sheet of paper having a length of about 11 inches and a width of 8 to 8.5 inches.

¹⁰⁷⁻¹⁰⁸ 17. The book of claim 16, wherein the pocket sheet is formed of a rectangular sheet of paper having a length of about 11 inches and a width of 5 to 6 inches.

¹⁰⁹ 18. The book of claim 17, wherein the multiple pages are rectangular sheets having a length of about 11 inches and a width of about 8.5 inches.

^{F-110} 19. The book of claim 1, further comprising a front cover and a back cover bound along the binding, the pages and pocket insert being disposed between the front and back covers.

^{F-111} 20. The book of claim 19, further comprising supplemental media retained in the pocket.

^{F-112-113} 21. The book of claim 15, further comprising supplemental media retained in both pockets.

^F 22. (Twice Amended) A pocket insert defined by a base sheet of paper material and a pocket sheet of paper material, the base sheet comprising:

¹⁸ a first edge, a second edge ^{30A} opposed to the first edge for binding to a binder, the first and second edges defining a width of the base sheet, and ¹⁶ third and ²⁰ fourth edges opposed to one another and disposed between the first and second edges, the third and fourth edges defining a length of the base sheet, the base sheet having a planar ^{14A} first surface and a planar ^{14B} second surface;

^{12A} the pocket sheet having a planar inner surface and a planar outer surface, the pocket sheet comprising:

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a first edge of the inner surface attached to the first surface of the base sheet, a second edge of the inner surface opposed to the first edge, the first and second edges defining a width of the pocket sheet, at least a portion of the second edge being unattached to the first surface of the base sheet for forming a pocket opening partially defined by the first surface, and third and fourth edges opposed to one another and disposed between the first and second edges, the third and fourth edges defining a length of the pocket sheet and being attached to the first surface of the base sheet; wherein the second sheet has a shorter width than the first sheet and a width at least half the width of the base sheet.

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¹⁰³ 23. The pocket insert of Claim 22, wherein the base sheet and the pocket sheet are formed of separate sheets of paper material that are adhered to one another along their respective first edges, third edges and fourth edges.

^{103 - duplicate} 24. The pocket insert of Claim 23, wherein the base sheet and the pocket sheet are further adhered to one another along a strip parallel to the third and fourth edges of the sheets, so as to separate two pockets formed between the sheets.

^{103 - type + shape} 25. The pocket insert of Claim 22, wherein the base sheet is formed of a rectangular sheet of paper having a length of about 11 inches and a width of about 8 to 8.5 inches, and the pocket sheet is formed of a rectangular sheet of paper having a length of about 11 inches and a width of about 5 to 6 inches.

26. (Twice Amended) A method of binding a book comprising:

B8 (a) assembling in a stacked arrangement a plurality of pages and a pocket insert, wherein the pocket insert comprises:

(b) a base sheet of paper material having a planar first surface and a planar second surface, the base sheet comprising a binding edge; and a pocket sheet of paper material having a

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planar inner surface and a planar outer surface, the perimeter of the pocket sheet defined by an attached edge section of the inner surface and a free edge section of the inner surface, the attached edge section being attached to the first surface of the base sheet and the free edge section being unattached to the base sheet to form a pocket with a pocket opening along the free edge section and the first surface of the base sheet; and

(c) binding the pages and the pocket insert, wherein the pocket insert is bound along its binding edge and the base and pocket sheets are arranged such that the pocket opens towards the binding.

27. The method of Claim 26, comprising assembling a back and front cover in the stacked arrangement, and binding the covers, pages and pocket insert.

28. The method of Claim 27, wherein the back and front covers are arranged adjacent one another in the stacked arrangement, and the pocket insert is arranged at the top of the stacked arrangement during binding.

29. The method of Claim 28, further comprising inserting a diskette into the pocket insert following the binding operation.

30. The method of Claim 29, wherein the pages and pocket insert are assembled in the stacked arrangement by an automated collator.

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31. (Once Amended) A method of making a series of books, each book including multiple pages, a pocket insert, and front and back covers bound along a common binding, comprising:

making multiple copies of individual pages by copying textual material on to the pages with a copier, and collating the copied pages in a collator of a copier to form stacked arrangements of copied pages for books in the series;

adding to each stacked arrangement a pocket insert, a front cover and a back cover; and binding the stacked arrangement with binders,

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wherein the pocket insert comprises: a base sheet of paper material having a planar first surface and a planar second surface, the base sheet substantially corresponding in shape to the book pages and comprising a binding edge; and a pocket sheet of paper material having a planar inner surface and a planar outer surface, the perimeter of the pocket sheet [which is] defined by an attached edge section attached to the first surface of the base sheet and a free edge section unattached to the base sheet, to form a pocket with a pocket opening along the free edge section and the first surface of the base sheet;

wherein the pocket insert is bound along its binding edge such that the pocket opens towards the binding.

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32. (Once Amended) A pocket insert configured to be bound along a binding, the pocket insert comprising:

(a) a base sheet having a planar first surface, a planar second surface and a binding edge selected to be bound to the binding; and

(b) a pocket sheet having a planar inner surface, a planar outer surface, a perimeter defined by an attached edge section on the inner surface and a free edge section on the inner surface, the attached edge section being attached to the first surface of the base sheet and the free edge section being unattached to the base sheet to form a pocket with a pocket opening along the free edge section and the first surface of the base sheet,

wherein the base sheet and the pocket sheet are arranged such that the pocket opening faces the binding and the pocket insert has a total thickness less than a combined thickness of the base sheet, the pocket sheet and one of the base sheet and the pocket sheet.

Please add the following new claims:

103-1033. The pocket insert of Claim 32, wherein a maximum number of pocket sheet thicknesses and the maximum number of base sheet thicknesses at any location of the pocket insert is one.

34. A pocket insert for binding along a bound edge, comprising:

(a) a base sheet having a planar first surface and a planar second surface, and a binding edge selected to be bound at the bound edge;

(b) a pocket sheet having a planar inner surface and a planar outer surface, a portion of the inner surface of the pocket sheet connected to the first surface of the base sheet to form a pocket having a pocket opening between the first surface of the base sheet and the inner surface of the pocket sheet, the pocket opening facing the binding edge.

35. A pocket insert for operably passing through a printer or a copier in sequence with a single sheet of paper, the pocket insert comprising:

(a) a base sheet having a single thickness and a binding edge;

(b) a pocket sheet having a single sheet thickness;

(c) an adhesive between the base sheet and the pocket sheet to bond the base sheet to the pocket sheet to form a pocket with an opening facing the binding edge,

the pocket insert having a maximum thickness equal to a combined thickness of the single thickness, the single sheet thickness and the adhesive.